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TOM LODOWNE.

There is of a necessity, among a people constituted like ours, much private—over-the-breakfast-table, one-man, or woman-power—discussion of the leading topics of the day; scores of admirable speeches that will never be reported; hosts of telling arguments that will never be heard, even through a People's Column; and finding myself much in need of advice about the reconstruction of my family, with which I am as busy as Uncle Sam himself, I have been induced to hope that some individual whom Fate has denied the public ear, or button-hole, rather than suffocate will bring his effervescing wisdom to my assistance. To do that, however, you must first understand the conditions of my husband's will.

These were peculiar; in fact, we are a peculiar family. Since I talk of my husband's will, you see, of course, that I am a widow, and my two boys, Jack and Dix, are like only in virtue of the family resemblance that may exist between a great rock and a great tree. Dix is our gentleman; Jack is our worker. Living as we do without neighbors, somebody is needed for the carpentering, blacksmithing, and such things and Jack does it. Is there a fence to be mended?—there is Jack, with saw and hammer; a horse to be shod?—there's Jack again. Does anybody want anything, from a churn to a top? they go to Jack. If I say, "Fish for dinner," Jack tucks his trowsers into his boots and starts off with his line; and when his father set his heart on a boat Jack never rested till he had made him one—and a trim one it was, too! Always contriving, inventing, experimenting, was Jack; studying in off hours, and reading up; kept open house, he did, in his head, for all new ideas, and was forever trying to see how they would work; and had rough hands, and smelled regularly of tar, paint, oil, chemicals, earth, and fish—except on Sundays. For Dix, what he set store by was an old, worm-eaten chest in our attic, with a tarnished court suit or two, a signet bearing a coat of arms, and a sword. Some old stories we have beside, in the family, of the suits and sword, and a hot temper that, I suppose, got my ever-so-many-times-great-grandfather into scrapes as readily as it does Dix, who wears the signet, looks every inch the grandee in the velvet and embroidery and loves the old traditions, and lives by them. Fine boys, both of them! but I hope you see that it was hardly in reason to be expected that both would pull at the same idea.

"And how these two will ever get on in the same house is what puzzles me," says my husband, doubtfully, sitting at his desk about to write his will. And I hope you are not impatient here; though it is the fashion of these days to commence our stories where the ladies do their dresses—in the middle; for to understand the will you must understand our difficulty, which was in the shape of the property itself our old homestead, grown up out of the log cabin in which we settled first, husband and I. We had added on here and there, as we needed and there is a history for every bush and tree. I have seen the place coming up to what it is like a third child, and as well pull a plant up by the roots as take me out of that middle room, in which I danced my sturdy boys on my knee; while, for them, Jack has settled down with his boys in one-half of the house, and Dix with his boys in the other half, and either would as cheerfully sign his own death-warrant as a bill of sale.

"None of you will sell out, and how will you divide what can't be split?" says my husband, flourishing his pen and staring hard at the Constitution of the United States (he was a great admirer of the Constitution was my husband); when, brightening with an idea:

"Look here!" said he, suddenly. "If that little piece of paper can keep law and order among millions of families better than it was ever kept before, why won't something like it keep order in ours?"

And as wherever my husband saw a nail, down came his hammer on it, no sooner said than done. There was the will, bequeathing the middle room to me; and to the boys and their heirs each his own half of the house; and each was to do in his own part what he chose—paint, varnish, scrub, alter, furnish, any thing we liked, unless it interfered or injured some of the rest; but when it came to general repairs and purchases in which the whole house was concerned and such things—

"It will never do to leave that to you alone, old lady," says my husband, "or you would soon be badgered to death between them; but there is brother Phil and brother Dan. They put up here once a year, you know, when they are driving across country. I have spoken to the boys about it, and Dix he chose Phil, and Jack he's taken Dan; and you three are to decide between you what is for the general good, and the boys have bound themselves to abide by it, and I call that living according to the Constitution, in more senses than one!" says my husband, with his cheery laugh.

So there is the will. For the trouble, like most family troubles, it is hard to say where it began. There was the difference between the two boys. Then Jack was amazingly fond of me; Dix did his duty, but he would have liked me better if I had cared more for the old finery in the chest. Speeches were made in one room and carried to the other. Jack's boys called Dix's boys "Molly Coddles;" Dix's boys called Jack's boys "Sneaks." Sometimes it was Jack that was dissatisfied with what brother Phil and brother Dan and I agreed on, and sometimes it was Dix, and each declared that we favored the other. Sometimes they nearly came to blows; and then, of course, I stepped in between; and as Jack loved me best, I used to say, "Jack, for my sake!" and down would come Jack's arm, and he would walk off whistling; or, as he was the cooler of the two, I said, "Jack, there shouldn't be strife between brothers—do you make the advance!" and Jack did it; and so it was always Jack that apologized, and Jack that made advances, and Jack that patched up a peace—till Dix thought that he had no stomach for fight, and was very free to call him a coward.

On the other side Jack was as bitter on Dix for his treatment of Tom Lodowne.

"He is too lazy to lift his own finger," said Jack, "but he gets a man's work out of that poor, bound boy, that hasn't a friend to take his part. He drives him from morning till night. The boy has no chance for anything. He is getting no money, and he has no time to learn any thing. Dix is keeping him like a brute beast, and I'm darned if I think I ought to live under the same roof and see it go on!"

"Yes," says I, "son, but there is your father's will"—there it was, framed, and hanging up under the Constitution—"and we are each to do in our own part what we like. Tom Lodowne is none of your bread-and-butter."

"So he isn't," answered Jack, sullenly: "but Dix had better not bring him over my side, or he will be."

Dix fired at that.

"You had better not come on my side and talk like that, or I'll pitch you out at window!"

"I will talk on my own, though!" answered Jack. And talk he did; and, little by little, the stir and heart-burning increased. Dix wrote to friends and relatives; Jack wrote to friends and relatives. Friends and relatives wrote back. Uncle Abel he heard of it; and as Jack always was his favorite, you may know on which side he stood. It really seemed to me as if there was a buzz and murmur of Tom Lodowne! Tom Lodowne! sounding continually in the house. Mention him before Jack, and it was just drawing a check for an argument, and there is plenty of that coin in Jack's bank. Speak of him to Dix, and, my stars! you might as well show a mad dog water! And just at this time, when affairs were you may say at a crisis, Uncle Abel came our way, and Jack invited him to dinner.

"Very good! if that fellow comes into the house I go out of it—that's all!" said Dix.

"You don't say!" answered Jack, laughing; "where, and how?"

"Any where," says Dix. "And for how. I will take my half of the beams and rafters and staples and pay you for any money you have spent on them, and leave you your half."

"That is not according to the will," said Jack; "the house will tumble down."

"Burn the will! and if you don't want the house about your ears keep Uncle Abel out, for if he comes in I go out, remember!" shouted Dix after Jack, as he marched off whistling—for Jack had heard Dix talk in that way before, and put no faith in it. But I—ah! well, if young folks think old folks fools, old folks know what young folks are, and I mistrusted; and going into Caroline's room—Caroline is one of Dix's girls—what should I see there ready packed and corded but our linen chest! I call it "our," for we all had an interest in it. Jack had grown part of the flax, his girls had helped to weave it, and the chest was of my husband's own making, and there is not money enough in the world to buy it. Naturally my first word was, 'You can't take that!" "Oh!" cried Lina, "we will pay for it!" "But it can't be bought!" said I; and on that Dix came in, and one word brought on another, and—I hate to tell it! Dix is my boy, after all, and I had rather remember him a sturdy little chap, clinging to my gown—and there are excuses for him. Dix is not patient, and he had been tried, and he had almost forgotten that I was his mother, so put out as he was continually by my common, everyday ways; but the children they screamed their loudest, and Jack, who was at his work, dropped his tools, and came running; and you know how it is with those cool, slow tempers when they are up; and says Jack grinding his teeth:

"He called me coward, and I pretended not to hear; and he has put upon me, and I forgave him; and he has gone against my sense of right and I winked at it: but now he has struck you, mother—"

And down came his fist; and here was the fight I had staved off so long.

I never heard such an uproar. Jack's boys and Dix's boys went at it tooth and nail; and though Jack tried to fight easy and not hurt, as Dix struck with all his might, Jack was forced to strike too. They fought up stairs and down stairs; they smashed the things in Dix's rooms and tore down those in Jack's; and never minded the carpets, and curtains, and windows no more than if they grew on trees. Grandma she went into hysterics.

"You wicked, cruel boy," says she to Jack, "how can you abuse your brother so?"

Uncle Abel, he hurrahed, "Give it to him, Jack! and remember Tom Lodowne!"

"Tom Lodowne," says Jack, whose blood was fairly up; "yes," says he, and looking round just then, he saw Tom fighting side by side with his boys, and as well as any of them. "I will remember him," says Jack, "and I wouldn't have fought you about him, Dix, because we are brothers; but since we are in for it darn me if I stop till you say you will treat him as you ought to."

"Take him yourself," says Dix, sullen enough, for you see he was whipped, "and see what you can do for him;" but because I say he was sullen don't misjudge Dix. It is not in human nature to look up bright and smiling just after you are whipped; and it seems to me that Dix accepts the situation, as the newspapers say, without any unnecessary wry faces. Painting and cleaning will soon set the old house to rights, and for Dix, he is our own blood, and blood, you know, is thicker than water; and though it may come a little awkward, I hope and trust soon to see him back in his old place; but Tom Lodowne, that is what troubles me.

"I see no trouble," said Jack. Jack has undertaken to do for him now. "Find him a bed somewhere, give him his dinner, set him to work, buy him a spelling-book, and pay him his wages regular."

"Mercy!" screamed Grandma. "Give him his dinner here? then Dix will never sit down to the table in the world." You are to understand that we never have two tables in our house, but share and fare alike; the smartest gets the best rooms, and each one may do as well or ill for himself as he chooses; but when it comes to the table, why, we all sit down together; so Grandma was shocked.

"The creature has no table manners," says she. "He has got to learn yet how to handle a fork and spoon."

"Where is he going to learn?" says Uncle Abel; "munching his crust out in the barnyard, or sitting down among decent people and seeing how they behave?"

"But see here," argues Grandma. "Nobody says he sha'n't sit down by-and-by; but just now, why the poor fellow feels as badly and is just as much shocked as Dix is. He don't know what he has done to deserve wages and time of his own. Give him time to get reconciled to the change and be educated up to our standard."

"In the pig-sty?" cuts in Uncle Abel.

"But hark ye! a word in your ear," says Grandma. "I have known Dix from his first frocks up: and he never will sit down with him, never! and then don't you see while Dix stays outside the house is getting full of rats, and the doors are sprung, and half the glass is out, and everything is going to ruin?"

"And don't you see," says Abel, "that I want Dix in as much as any of you? I declare there is nothing I so long for as to see our whole family sitting down in peace together; but if Dix stays out it will be because he keeps himself out; and what we have to think about is not rats or panes of glass, but what is just and right. Jack has undertaken to do for Tom Lodowne, who has earned it, for he fought for him like a man; and if Jack don't see to it, that Tom has bed, and board, and work, I don't know who will. You can't in reason expect Dix to have him much on his mind. On the contrary, I think Dix has done as much and better than could have been expected of him; and as there are no neighbors I calculate the work is for Jack to do; and he has got to face it squarely if he don't want to be eternally dishonored; and if Tom Lodowne is to be made a man, is the way to make him one to keep him out among the sheep and oxen till some other time, nobody knows when? or to let him in among men, and feel what it is to be a man, and do like them, and bear a man's burden if he can; and if he can't, though I don't believe that, then the blame is not ours. We have given him a chance, and in my judgment there is nothing in that to hurt anything about Dix but his prejudices; and it seems to me they have done him and us harm enough already. What do you say, Stella?"

"That is my name, you know," and now if you are going to help me I want your answer to the question: "What is to be done with Tom Lodowne?"

A STRANGE STORY.—Ten years ago Mr. ——, was married to Miss ——. For a time all went well with the happy pair, but whether prompted by incompatibility of temper, or through the meddlesome interference of relatives or friends, "ye chronicler knoweth not," only that the demon of discord breathed upon their young love, and it withered as a flower 'neath winter's chilling breath. Add, to make a long story short, they separated. Shortly after the separation a little daughter was born, and then a divorce was obtained—by which party obtained, it matters not. For nine years—long, weary years—they lived apart, never seeing, or hearing from or speaking of each other; and yet both remaining true to love's first bright dream. The little girl grew up and was taught to believe that her father was dead. She had never seen him or been seen by him. Ah, who shall say how often, during those long, dreary years, the father's heart yearned for the sight of his child, and pined to hear the music of her voice. And the mother—the wife that was—was she happy? Who shall tell? Well, on the day before yesterday, the lady, accompanied by her little daughter, walked into a business house in this city, and met him, who was once her husband and the father of her child, coming out. They stood face to face for the first time since their separation—nine years ago. Both stopped and gazed fixedly into each other's face. The father then turned his eyes to the child, and, stooping down suddenly, caught her in his arms—pressed her passionately to his bosom—rained a shower of kisses upon her face; then placing her on the floor he gave one glance at the mother and turned to go. Hearing his name called in a low tone, he turned! One look, and they were in each other's arms. They were left alone for a few moments by the considerate kindness of the parties present. Then a hack was called, and in thirty minutes from their first meeting they were married.—*Memphis Avalanche.*

NEW NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE.—As is announced elsewhere, a new newspaper enterprise is on foot—and an extensive one, if we are to judge of the capital stock of the Company, and the financial capacity of the men engaged in it. The Trustees are C. T. Meader, (the great copper miner of Stockton and Copperopolis,) James Dows, (the famous distiller, of this city,) T. L. Barker, (operator,) Henry Carlton, Jr., (merchant, formerly of W. T. Coleman & Co.,) J. Greenbaum, (importer,) L. A. Booth, (mining operator,) John Barton, (proprietor of Pacific Salt Works,) William B. Bourne, (speculator,) Caleb S. Hobbs, (of Hobbs, Gilmore & Co., sash and box makers,) John H. Heste, (coal and iron dealer,) James B. Stetson, (tin box manufacturers) and Wm. H. Barton, formerly of Sacramento. Though none of these gentlemen have had any experience in the newspaper business, they have all been pretty successful in other pursuits, and have doubtless a goodly supply of one material—money—needed in the prosecution of the enterprise they are about undertaking. Who are to be the business and editorial managers of the new concern is still wrapped in secrecy. Some say that a draft has been made on New York for the men, and others name Frank Soulé, L. Upson and J. McClatchey in connection with the editorship. None of the Trustees have ever been identified with partisan politics, but are generally known as enterprising business men; it is therefore supposed that the new journal is intended to be a business newspaper, devoted to the general business interests of the State, and capable of rising above petty cliquisms and business jealousies. The establishment of such a paper has been talked of for several months past by leading business men, and the enterprise now under notice is probably the fruition of their thoughts. We have no idea that it is to be established with special reference to present political matters.—*S. F. Call.*

EDITING A NEWSPAPER.—The San Francisco *Golden Era* has the following among its local answers to its correspondents:

"PRESS."—Proposes starting a new paper. Thinks himself eminently qualified to perform the duties of an editor.

Just so. About every third man in the community is troubled in that way. What more common observation than "nothing in it," made on laying down a paper when its contents are not quite satisfactory. You probably imagine that you would make a perfect steamboat of an editor, because you have written *a few smooth articles.* Try it on. Come down to your mental mutton daily *like a pack horse*—be equally spicy, original, amusing, deep, logical, correct and entertaining on all subjects, from the discussion of the propriety of establishing a new town pump, to the threatened rupture between this country and England. The pleasures of editorship are various. One is, to have your pet articles on which you have bestowed no small amount of care and nursing, denominated by unknown individuals, in your hearing, as "insufferably stupid." Another, is to have your productions, meant to be funny, called foolish. The editor's trials are legion until he gets used to them, and then he is one of the happiest of mortals!

ONE of the Western papers gives the following notice:

"All notices of marriage, where no bride cake is sent will be put up in small type, and poked in an outlandish corner of the paper. Where a handsome piece of cake is sent, it will be put conspicuously in large letters; while gloves or other bride-favors are added, a piece of illustrative poetry will be given in addition. When, however, the editor attends the ceremony in person, and kisses the bride, it will have especial notice—very large type, and the most appropriate poetry that can be begged, borrowed or stolen from the brain editorial."

CLEAR AS MUD.—Barnum, in his late book, "The Humbugs of the World," says that if any of the "spiritual" professors are asked what is the philosophy of some of their proceedings, they generally reply with a mess of balderdash pretty much like the following:

"There is an infinitesimal influence of sympathy between mind and matter, which permeates all beings, and pervades all the deliest niches and interstices of human intelligence. This sympathetic intelligence working on refined intelligence of an affinity, consolates itself into a corporeity, approximating closely to the adumbrations of mortality in its highest admensurations, at least accuminating in an exacuminatinn.

A REMINISCENCE OF THE WAR.

"Maurice," writing to the Boise City *Statesman*, from Soda Springs, I. T., relates the following circumstances of an affair that took place in that Territory, which we have never before seen in print:

In the spring of 1862, when the rebellion was putting forth all its strength, and when the North had opened on a year of hope, a Captain Jackson and a man named Davis, well known in California, raised a small company of men in that State, with the avowed purpose of joining the insurgent army then in Arkansas. This company well armed and equipped, clandestinely departed from the limits of California, and struck out on the long and tedious journey across the plains, with the grand end in view of assisting in the overthrow of the Government, and being present at the decease of the great American Republic.

They took the old emigrant road through the Humboldt country, and in due course of time reached the City of Rocks, past which place the Overland Stage Line's route runs to Boise City. They reached that point on the morning of the 8th of September, 1862, and from unmistakable signs they found, they were made aware of the presence of Indians in their neighborhood, and that they had been engaged in overhauling and murdering a train of emigrants. Fearing to halt, lest they might be surrounded and surprised by the red-skins, they pursued their journey, hoping to reach the Raft River Valley before the Indians should know of their presence. While descending the slope from the City of Rocks towards the valley, they came upon quite a party of Indians, who, although surprised at their appearance, showed no symtoms of hostility. They came forward and invited Captain Jackson and his men to come to their camp, which they said was over the mountain, where they had plenty of beef. Fearing their treachery, Capt. Jackson declined, and leading his men, pushed ahead for Raft River Valley. They had gone but a few miles—it was about noon in the day, a beautiful, glorious day, not a cloud to dot the sky—when they found that their forebodings as to the treachery of the red-skins were about to be realized. The Indians, who had spent the summer murdering trains of pilgrims, were not satisfied with their bloody deeds, and did not intend to let an opportunity of entrapping and massacring a small party so well mounted and ornamented, go by. As they looked on each side, they saw the Indians coming upon them at every point. These men were brave, but they saw little hope, encompassed as they were by the savages. The fight began; the little band fought desperately, and endeavored to get to the shelter of a bluff. Many red-skins had bit the dust, and but one or two of the whites were wounded, when to the right of the road, and through a canyon, came another and larger body of red-skins. The leader was bedecked with all the regalia of the Indian warrior. This leader was the formidable and cruel Pocatello. Behind Pocatello came another leader of the band, mounted upon a superb white horse, and upon a flagstaff he waved aloft the glorious banner of our country, the ensign of free om—"the Star-spangled Banner." When the band of would-be-sisters of treason saw the banner of their country borne aloft by their savage foes, and as it was always in the thickest of the fire, in all its resplendent glory, they became disheartened, lessened their fire, were surrounded, shot and mutilated, and but five of their number escaped to tell the tale.

I have narrated this story as it came from the mouth of a captain of a train that found those men who escaped, some nine days after the fight, in a dying condition from starvation and exposure. This is the story that they themselves told, it was indeed a sad ending of that treasonable expedition. It was afterwards ascertained that Pocatello had obtained that flag from a party of emigrants whom he and his band had massacred, and whose train they had plundered.

QUERIES.—Who is the laziest man? The furniture dealer; he keeps chairs and lounges about all the time.

Who are the most dishonest people? The hardware merchants; they sell iron and steel for a living.

Who is the most liberal man? The grocer; he gives almost everything a weigh.

Who will make the best soldiers? Dry goods men; they have the most drilling.

The highest thing in bonnets—the face, of course.

If a taper and a gallon of whisky were left together which would be drunk first?

What is smaller than a musquito's mouth? Why, that which goes into it?

CONVINCING ARGUMENT.—Frederick the Great was fond of disputations; but as he generally terminated the discussion by collaring his antagonist and kicking his shins, few of his guests were disposed for an argument. He asked one of his suite why he did not venture to give his opinion on some particular question. 'It is impossible, your majesty,' was the reply, 'to express an opinion before a sovereign who has such convictions, and wears such very thick boots!'

GRAND LODGE OFFICERS.—The following gentlemen were on Thursday elected officers of the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows:

I. N. Randolph, Grand Master; C. N. Fox, Deputy; C. S. Haswell, Senior Grand Warden; T. Rodgers Johnson, Grand Secretary; M. Hillar, Grand Treasurer; W. M. Allen, Grand Representative; Rev. Wm. H. Hill holds over; S. McClelland, A. A. Sargent, J. A. Piper, Trustees.

ODD FELLOWS.—During the past year over 900 persons have been initiated into the Order, which now numbers 7,486 affiliated members, divided between 122 Lodges. The Order owns forty halls throughout the State, valued at $292,795, besides other property to the amount of nearly $500,000, exclusive of funds on hand in the different Lodges.

DURING the month of April, the police of San Francisco made 873 arrests, of which number 196 forfeited bail, 223 were discharged, 56 were fined, 255 were either fined or imprisoned, 36 were sent to the County Court, 12 to the State Prison, 16 to the Insane Asylum, 5 to the Industrial School, and others to be disposed of.

AN old tombstone has this equivocal inscription: "Here lies the bodies of —— and his wife. Their warfare is accomplished." Being Puritans, they doubtless "fought a good fight."

"Ah, doctaw, does the cholerah awfect the highah awdahs?" "No," replied the doctor to the exquisite, "but it's death on fools, and you'd better leave the city at once."

WHY are country girls' cheeks like French calicoes? Because they are warranted to wash and retain their color.

THERE is said to be some consolation for every ill in this life. For instance, if a man is bald-headed his wife cannot pull his hair.

GOOD.—Toast by a perfect brute: "Woman: now and forever, one and insufferable."

DUTCH FLAT ENQUIRER.

SATURDAY MORNING, MAY 12, 1866.

Now, by St. Paul, the work goes bravely on,
The Stars and Stripes are up for Liberty,
Flag of the Nation--Talisman of the Free,
Curs'd be the hand that dares to pull thee down.

WE have to ask the kind indulgence of our readers this week for the lack of our usual amount of original matter, on account of the severe indisposition of the Editor, and the consequent necessity of his placing a substitute in the editorial chair.

SCHOOL EXAMINATION.—We were present for a short time yesterday at the examination of the children of the Dutch Flat Public School, by their teacher, Rev. J. A. Johnson, and were so much pleased with the alacrity and proficiency displayed by the pupils in answering questions upon various subjects which we considered very intricate for their years, that we regretted our stay was necessarily so short. We observed a spirit of emulation among the pupils which cannot be too highly commended; not a question was propounded to them but almost every little hand in the class was elevated in token of readiness to answer. It would be invidious to mention the names of any who acquitted themselves better than their class-mates, all did so well, and almost equally so to speak of any particular subject in which they were more proficient than others; they were at home in everything; but we think especially in mental arithmetic. We congratulate Mr. Johnson on the success which he has achieved, and the pupils upon their good fortune in having such a teacher.

FISTIANA.—Tuesday night last two of our citizens got into an altercation touching the boundary line between their respective claims. In the progress of the wordy storm one of the gentleman became exceedingly irate, in fact went so far as to impeach the veracity of his opponent in the question before the house, in language unmentionable before ears polite, upon which gentleman No. 2, concluded that he would terminate the matter in the same manner that the Patlander vanquished his man—by a "bit of a discushin wid shticks;" but not having a "shtick" convenient, he was under the necessity of using his fists, with which implement of warfare he floored the gentleman who had so distinguished himself in polite literature, and, of course, placed the boundary line where he considered it should be. No arrests made.

COMPLIMENTARY BENEFIT.—The friends of Miss Nancy Virginia Amos, Organist of the M. E. Church, intend giving her a complimentary benefit on Saturday evening, May 19th. The entertainment, we believe, will consist principally of vocal and instrumental music, and we doubt not that the people of Dutch Flat, to whom the young lady's musical talent and many amiable qualities are well-known, will evince their appreciation thereof by giving her a crowded house. For further particulars see programme.

MEADOW LAKE CITY.—We hear that the snow at this place is fast melting away, and at the present time measures only four feet deep. This will be "glad tidings of great joy" to the countless numbers of miners who are at present burning with impatience to get up there to prospect. This place is at present the goal of their highest hopes and wishes—the cynosure of attraction for almost every one possessing the spirit of adventure in the slightest degree. We are told that lots are commanding fabulous prices—all the way from $200 to $2,000.

CONCERT.—The musical entertainment for the benefit of Mrs. Cooke, which has long been in contemplation by the members of the Union Church Choir, will take place on Thursday evening the 17th inst. The musical ability of the beneficiary and her large claims upon all the devotees of Apollo who reside here are so well-known that they require no remarks of ours to enhance them, and the singing of the Choir, as proved by their last concerts, is unexceptionable. Everything considered, we bespeak a full house for the occasion.

FROM MENDOZA.—This morning we had the pleasure of a visit from Mr. Phillips, of that place, and we learn from him that we have been misinformed in regard to the changing of the name of the town from Mendoza to Rocklin. It will still retain its original appellation, and bids fair to become, in a short time, a place of considerable importance. There are at present fifteen houses, all of which are occupied, and a great many others in course of erection.

CLEANED-UP.—The Gold Run Company, owned by Messrs. Judd, Kinder & Stewart, lately cleaned up $2,700 after a run of twenty days, of ten hours each, and using three hundred inches of water. This we look upon as a very satisfactory result, considering the number of hours during which the company has been washing. Messrs. Baldwin & Bailey, we are told, made a good, round clean-up, also, but we were unable to learn the exact amount.

BIG STRIKE.—A correspondent of the Marysville *Express*, writing under date of May 6th, from Spanish Camp, Plumas county, says R. C. Simpson & Co., struck the gravel in their claim, one and a half miles below Spanish Ranch, and got two dollars to the pan.

FAREWELL SERMON.—We are requested to announce that the Rev. J. A. Johnson will preach his farewell sermon in this place, at the Union Church, on Sunday, the 27th instant, at the usual hour.

GOOD TEMPLARS.—This Order, which meets every Tuesday evening at the Masonic Hall, continues to flourish, and at each meeting adds some new names to its numbers. Success to it.

MESSRS. BROWN & BROTHER, owners of a blue gravel claim, near You Bet, lately cleaned up after one weeks' crushing, $1,800. Good! You Bet.

EDWIN FORREST.—This accomplished actor will make his first appearance before a California audience in San Francisco on Monday evening, May 14th, as Cardinal Richelieu.

THE Rev. Mr. Bradbury, Baptist Minister, will preach at the Union Church to-morrow. Services—morning and evening.

SLUICE ROBBERS.—Gold Run is at present infested by a gang of these infamous scoundrels, and we are continually hearing of voluntary assistance being rendered the industrious miners of that district in the work of cleaning-up. This week, especially, seems to have been chosen by them as a convenient season for the prosecution of their lawless avocations. Mr. Z. Karner was the first who was favored with one of their nocturnal visits. The under-current and a few of the lower boxes of his flume were relieved of the auriferous deposits in a manner which left no doubt that the operations had been conducted by experts in the business. The blocks which were taken from the flume were found the next morning more carefully piled up than if they had passed through the hands of the owner; the only thing ungentlemanly in the matter being that the manipulators left without putting themselves to the slightest trouble in replacing them. Encouraged in their attempts by the success which attended their efforts in cleaning-up for Mr. Karner, the free-booters next politely visited the Gold Run Fluming Company, and subjected their flumes to much the same course of treatment as in the previous instance. Mr. Hoskins, of Indiana Hill, has upon three or four occasions been the recipient of their favors, but as a matter of course the actual amounts abstracted by the villains must remain a mystery in all these cases. We understand that young torpedos and other infernal machines are being placed by different companies in their flumes, and it will be a source of the greatest gratification to us to record the annihilation of two or three of these wretches considering the immense "gain" which their "loss" would be to society at large.

ALMOST A FIRE.—Yesterday forenoon our citizens were thrown into a state of excitement with which they have been unacquainted for sometime past, by observing a column of smoke issuing from the roof of Mr. Barrett's house on Main street. The Reliance boys turned out with an alacrity most praiseworthy, but, from the fact that they have not yet been supplied with a vehicle of some kind for the expeditious transportation of their hose from one part of the town to another, their endeavors to get water on the burning material were greatly retarded. Their efforts in packing the heavy hose, under a burning sun, up the hill to the scene of the conflagration, were really painful to look at—in fact were calculated to throw a horse into a state of complete exhaustion, as well as a man—and we question very much if the house could have been saved at all (as it was with trifling damage) had it not been for the excellent use which the bystanders made of buckets of water. These were handed from one to another up to the roof as quickly as we ever saw them before, and in a very short time the flames were extinguished. Our citizens should certainly see to it that the firemen are provided with a carriage as soon as possible, in which case they will be able to save all their energy till they arrive at the scene of the conflagration. We would suggest to the firemen that they meet occasionally for practice, especially in putting the joints of the hose together.

CENTRAL PACIFIC RAILROAD.—The work on this road is at present being pushed forward with the greatest vigor, and our citizens are now looking hopefully forward with comparative confidence to our great national day of jubilee, at which time they calculate to celebrate, with all due honors, the anniversary of our independence, and the advent of the iron-horse in our midst. The cars now run daily to Secrettown, at which point a turn-table has been erected, and three stages which are always crowded with passengers, connect that place with Dutch Flat. A number of carpenters whose name is legion are engaged on the trestle-work at Secret Ravine, and from the energy which is displayed in their operations, an early completion of the work may be expected. At present, no freight is carried any farther than Colfax. We understand that there will be a "switch"—fourteen hundred feet long—at Gold Run for the convenience of parties receiving and transporting freight, and that a large and commodious depot will immediately be erected a short distance from this place. Truly, the railroad is making rapid strides, and as soon as the deep cut at Gold Run is completed, which caved in so frequently sometime ago, we may look for a large addition to the length of the track, which is at present sixty-three miles.

RUNAWAYS.—Early on Thursday morning, while Messrs. Walker & Pachen were loading their butcher-wagon, the horses attached thereto became restive from some cause or other—probably they thought they were going to have a bigger load than they could conveniently haul—at all events they started on an indiscriminate pell-mell sort of run, without having any apparent destination in view at which they meant to arrive, or the interests of their owners at heart, as a fall in beef was for sometime decidedly imminent.

On the afternoon of the same day, a foolish looking quadruped attached to a cart—contents unknown—thought that a little gentle exercise would be beneficial to his health, and in pursuance of this laudable idea went through a series of promiscuous manœuvres through the streets, utterly reckless of the injuries which he might have inflicted on those with whom he came in contact. No lives lost.

SMALL-POX.—A report was circulated during the week that a case of small-pox had occurred among the Chinese of our town, and that the unfortunate Celestial had been carried out somewhere in the neighborhood of the slaughter-house, by his brethren, where he was seen in a dying condition. We do not vouch for the truth of the report, but should not be in the least surprised, if small-pox, cholera, or any other of the dreadful plagues which inevitably follow uncleanness of person and habitation, should attack the classic region of Dutch Flat known as Chinatown. It is a disgrace to the town that such an abominable nuisance should be tolerated in our *midst*, and when we use this expression we refer to the near approach of these repulsive neighbors to the central and business portion of the town—not merely to the outskirts. We trust that our citizens will take some steps towards, at least, abating these mephitic odors which assail the nasal organ of the passer-by in a manner most disagreeable.

MR. JOHNSON AND BIBLE READER.

ED. ENQUIRER:—My attention was called to a personal allusion to me in your paper of April 29th, over the signature of J. A. Johnson, in which the gentleman referred "Bible Reader" to me, as authority, in regard to *legal evidence*. From the reading of the article in question one would surmise that the Rev. Gent. designed to convey the idea that "Bible Reader" could be instructed by consultation with the dimmest lights of legal lore. Why that Gentleman (?) should go out of his way to attack one who never injured him, I am at a loss to suspect, unless, indeed, it arose from the fact of my inability to endure, longer than I did, his somnific discourses. But I hold it highly indecorous to sleep during service in church, and that it is better to keep away altogether than violate the rules of propriety. The allusion above referred to, seems to have hit "Bible Reader" in a truly tender spot, and, like a foolish dog, he bites the *stick* instead of the *hand* that struck him. He, (Bible Reader) in your last issue, vents all of the venom of a blind rattlesnake at me, because the caustic Parson sees fit to lug my name into his article. Now, sir, I have no desire to participate in newspaper controversy, especially, of a personal nature, and least of all with one so low as he who would at this late day attempt to cast a slur upon the spotless character of the beloved father of his country, the immortal Washington. But it is the nature of the beast, and he cannot help being what he is any more than a skunk can, and no doubt but that God created him for the same wise purpose that he did the skunk, and if we can't see it, we can at least smell it.

I am aware, Mr. Editor, that I do not stand as high in my profession as many other attorneys. If I did I should not have to answer this attack on me. But, as many of my friends think it should be noticed, I am induced to do so, although I feel like the old man that the wet dog ran against, who said it served him right for being on the same street with so dirty a dog. I don't know who "Bible Reader" is nor do I care. I have formed my opinion from his writing, and consider that the very negroes with whom he would with so much pleasure associate, refuse to recognize him as an equal. As I have taken no part, in any manner, between the Rev. Johnson and "Bible Reader," and would not, any more than I would in a fight between a skunk and a rattlesnake. I desire both not to get out of so fitting an encounter to pitch on a passer-by who feels no interest in their warfare, and in future to use some other name than mine in squibs. E. AUBURY.

ARE THEY MINERAL OR AGRICULTURAL?—While in Gold Run yesterday, we found the following notice posted up in different places through the town:

"Citizens of Gold Run and vicinity! You are on lands within the C. P. R. Reservation. You are requested to meet at Rice's Hall, on Saturday evening the 12th inst., to adopt measures necessary to the preservation of your rights."

As a matter of course the Railroad Company are desirous of getting all the lands into their possession they possibly can, provided they are within the limits prescribed by the government; the question as to whether they are mineral or agricultural being a matter of no importance in the world to them. That duty naturally devolves upon the owners and original locators of the ground in Gold Run and vicinity, and we counsel them to lose no time in taking the necessary steps to secure the object in view, viz: to prove that the lands in question are beyond all doubt *mineral*, no matter under what heading they have been placed by the Railroad Company in the land office at Marysville.

WE copy the following from the Nevada *Transcript*, and recommend an attentive perusal by those of our friends whom it may concern:

TRIALS OF "LOCAL."—It is a matter of astonishment to "Lokulitems" that a man of ordinary constitution and temper can follow the business for more than a week and live. Our good nature and "cheek" is all that has saved us. A large majority of people seem to ignore the fact that a paper is published for the benefit of the community and not to carry out the whims or advance the interests of private individuals when they clash with the interests of the county. The local reporter is cursed if he gives a good item, by the interested parties, and cursed by the community if he don't. He goes into Court and takes the testimony in the preliminary examination of a murder case. Everybody wants to read it and the reporter thinks he has something of interest. Just as he is starting out of the court room, he is tapped on the shoulder by a polite official and requested not to "say anything, as a statement of the case will make it impossible to get a jury." A rich strike is made in quartz, and the reporter after diligently searching for half a day, gets all the particulars. The item is in the hands of the compositor, when in rushes the excited owner of a hundred feet and begs that the thing may be "kept dark" for a few days, as two or three want to get a controlling interest. Another miner, the owner of a mill, who is seen to get coin to the amount of six or eight thousand dollars for gold taken from his claim, reads the statement in the paper. He wants to know "how the devil that got into the paper," and politely requests the reporter not to say any thing more as he did not want to have people know what he was making. These men are taking out their thousands, and from some reason desire to keep their success a secret and thus prevent the resources of the county from being made known. Such and many others of the same kind of annoyances are the fate of the local reporter. We avoid all matters of a personal character, and publish all matters which are of public interest or calculated to make known the inexhaustible wealth of the county. In this way energy and capital are directed to the county, and even those who worry the life out of the reporter with selfish requests are being benefited. We endeavor to give items of interest at home and abroad, regardless of the selfish requests of individuals, and "Lokelitems" will "fight it out on this line."

DENTAL.—We dropped in at Dr. Wilson's tooth manufactory this week, and found him busily engaged on a set of teeth for a lady of mature years, and uncompromising countenance, with whom we were acquainted. Meeting her in the street a few days afterwards we were astonished to find her looking ten years younger, at least, and ever so much more handsome. This speaks well for the Doctor's skill on ivory.

ON Thursday last, says the Amador *Ledger*, a drove of Chinamen, nearly one hundred in number, passed through this place, bound for Idaho.

BIBLE READER'S HONOR.

MR. EDITOR:—It was my decision not to make any reply to the last communication published by Bible Reader, but it has been suggested to me that I ought to notice his charge of falsehood. Perhaps it may be well to do so, in order to show what kind of a writer I had to correct in his misrepresentations of plain facts of history and plain statements of the Bible.

Not being content with calling me "a blackguard," a "twentieth rate parson" and many like names, which, of course, is very bad for me; as injurious about as being berated and abused by a horse thief; he makes out a case with his usual ingenuity and then accuses me of falsehood and as destitute of honor. It is not a hard matter to get at the facts of this case. "My "post morten" examination had some "home truths" in it, as we see, and naturally made a stir. This was to be expected; but the kind of reply he saw fit to make was unexpected to me. In concluding my review of this strange Bible Reader's communications, I referred to his spelling, geography and grammer, as follows:

4. I close this examination by saying that this superficial trait shows itself in small things as well as important matters. His spelling is an example In his note to me he says: "at you personaly, personally, I want you to except accept, my apolegy," apology. He spells Runnemede, Runnymede, Paine, Payne, La Fayette, La Fayyette, &c. So too, he speaks of Massachusetts *and* New England; while he himself is a New Englander. It is just like saying Placer county *and* California! He exclaims, "I have not forgotten *thee* O *men* of God!" In fact, it seems that it was impossible for this distinguished state officer to speak of anything accurately or without making some mistake.

He makes a very ingenius reply, for it is no use to deny that he is a writer of great ingenuity. It seems that Washington was not only so dreadfully profane and immoral, as this writer has proved by his "traditionary authority," but now *we have his word for it* (!) that "Washington was a bad speller," and so was "the first Napoleon!" Well, that may afford my readers amusement; it has that merit certainly, if no other; and, had he stopped there, your readers would not have seen this reply, which I now write for the express purpose of showing the character of the writer who has been assailing me for six or seven weeks in the columns of the ENQUIRER. As my readers will remember, I published his note to me, but suppressed both the name and the place of the writer. What of it? There was not a hint that the note was *private*. Moreover, it was written to me for the sole purpose of correcting what he himself had laid before the public! Then, I had a *right* to lay that note before my readers, especially as I suppressed his name. And he has the assurance to say "this is a gross violation of honor and of the rule that obtains among gentlemen upon that subject!" There, reader, you cannot say that I know nothing about honor and the rules that obtain among gentlemen! I hope I am duly grateful for this information. That is his view of the case. But what think you, candid reader? Is there the semblance of an excuse for the slur this man attempts so adroitly to cast on my honor? Look at the facts of the case. He attacks me over my own name and *refuses* to give his name, while at the same time he writes over the name of "Bible Reader," to attack the Bible and ministers of the Bible! But has any man a right to assail another in this way and screen himself from all harm under an assumed name? What kind of honor is that? The public will decide. But, on the other hand, can any reader of this journal name a reason in the wide world to show that I was under any obligation on earth to withhold this man's name from the public after I found it out? Did he think to forestall me by writing that note? Some of my readers have said, on the contrary, that I ought to give his name to the public, *and if he has written nothing that is disgraceful and likely to injure him with the public why object to giving his name himself!* And yet this man sets himself up as my teacher on a point of honor and the rules that obtain among gentlemen!

But he is not content to assail my honor, &c. He says that I tried to convey the impression that all his misspelled words were in his note to me, and that I tried to make the Editor think so. Then upon that *assertion of his*, without proof, he goes on to accuse me of falsehood! *But every word which he says I tried to make the Editor and my readers believe to be in his note, can be found in his published articles!* I did not copy one of them from his manuscript, but from the columns of the ENQUIRER! And now I *defy* this man to point out a single word of the list I have named which is not found in his *published* communications! Now this man who writes over the name of "Bible Reader," his essays on "conviction," "circumstantial evidence," &c., and sets himself up as my teacher on a point of honor and the rules that obtain among gentlemen, did deliberately pen those falsehoods to injure me, or else he was too reckless, inaccurate and superficial to state the truth in so plain a case as this! As my readers see, I could have no possible motive for telling a falsehood or trying to make the Editor believe it! I never held a word of conversation to that effect with the Editor of the ENQUIRER. If he so understood my conversation with him, I respectfully decline the responsibility. Now what do my readers think of this man's insinuation, or rather assertion, that I "*purloined* his manuscript or read it *clandestinely*?" Then, after fabricating these charges, so wantonly and heartlessly, to injure my character, my only means of support, he closes thus: "There is no politician, even of the lowest class, who would not disdain to perpetrate acts of such contemptible and insufferable meanness." I submit the case to my readers without further comment.

Yours, &c., J. A. JOHNSON.

May 11, 1866.

NEVADA CITY ELECTION.—At the charter election in Nevada, May 7th, Chas. Cornell was elected Marshal; W. G. Jenkins, Assessor; W. F. Evans, Treasurer; G. K. Farquhar, J. A. Martin, L. W. Williams, Richard Kelsey and J. J. Otts, Trustees.

ELECTION IN GRASS VALLEY.—At the city election in Grass Valley, May 7th, Hank J. Snow was elected Marshal; John Pettes, Jr., and J. J. Dorsey, Trustees; Frank Beatty, Treasurer, and M. H. Funston, Assessor.

SEWING-MACHINES—SEE HOW THEY GO.—It is a real satisfaction to us to see sewing-machines travelling over the land, and especially to see them making their way into so many parsonages. How one lightens the labor and care of a patient, toiling mother. Many a poor minister's wife has been saved thereby from overwork, and so from consumption and an early grave. Hence, we rejoice to see them go, and are glad to speed them on their way. A clergyman from Minnesota, who called on us this week, could not leave New York without taking back this invaluable accompaniment. He went to Grover & Baker's, and we believe picked out the best one he could find in the whole establishment. We are sure he got his money's worth.—*New York Evangelist.*

MARRIED.

At Lincoln, at the residence of the bride's father, May 1st, by Rev. E. Paddleford, Mr. THOMAS J. WALDRON to Miss CYNTHIA JANE MOORE.

Near Millertown, May 6th, by A. N. Gambell, J. P., Mr. A. GANNON to Miss HORATIA WATKINS.

BORN.

In Auburn, May 8th, to B. Flaherty and wife, twin daughters.

DIED.

At Lincoln, May 3d, of consumption, Mrs. SUSAN NAGEL, wife of James Nagel.

On Dry Creek, on the Nevada road, May 6th, of consumption, Mrs. MINERVA, wife of J. W. McKune, aged bout 26 years.

CENTRAL PACIFIC RAILROAD.

ON and after Tuesday, May 8, 1866, until further notice, the trains of the Central Pacific Railroad will run as follows:

GOING EAST:

Mail and passenger train will leave Sacramento at 6:30 A. M., arrive at Secrettown at 9:45 A. M.

Freight and passenger train leaves Sacramento at 7:30 A. M. arrive at Colfax 1:15 P. M., and at 8 P. M., arrive at Colfax at 7:45 P. M.

GOING WEST:

Mail and passenger train leaves Secrettown at 10 A. M., arrive at Sacramento at 1:15 P. M.

Freight and passenger train leaves Colfax at 6:25 A. M. arrive at Sacramento at 11:15 A. M., also at 2 P. M., arriving at Sacramento at 6:30 P. M.

The morning Passenger Train connect at Auburn with stages for Yankee Jims, Forest Hill, and Michigan Bluffs; and at Colfax with stages for Grass Valley, Nevada, San Juan, and Illinoistown, and at Secrettown for Gold Run, Dutch Flat and Virginia City.

The 6:30 A. M. up train connects at the Junction with the cars of the California Central Pacific Railroad, for Lincoln and Marysville and all points north.

On Sunday, one train only will be run, leaving Sacramento at 6:30 A. M. and Secrettown at 10 A. M.

Conveyances can be had at Newcastle for Alabaster Cave, six miles distant.

C. CROCKER, Superintendent.

G. P. HARTWELL, Assistant Superintendent. m12-1m

PIONEER STAGE COMPANY.

NEW ARRANGEMENT.

ON and after MAY 8, 1866, the Coaches of the Pioneer Company will

Leave Dutch Flat daily at 7 o'clock, A. M., for Sacramento connecting with the cars of the Central Pacific Railroad at Secrettown, and

Returning, leave Secrettown at 8½ o'clock, A. M., and arrive at Dutch Flat at 10 o'clock, A. M.

This line connects at Secrettown with the coaches for Iowa Hill, Grass Valley, Nevada, Marysville and all points north.

Leaves Dutch Flat daily at 10½ o'clock, A. M., for Virginia City, over the Donner Lake road.

Office, at Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express Office.

I. HAMMOND, Agent.

HOSTETER, SMITH & DEAN,

DIRECT IMPORTERS OF

DRUGS AND CHEMICALS,

Proprietary Medicines,

DRUGGISTS' SUNDRIES, ETC., ETC.

Manufacturers of

DRUGGISTS' GLASSWARE,

(SAN FRANCISCO GLASS WORKS)

101-3-5 Battery street, corner of Clay,

my5-3mis SAN FRANCISCO.

B. F. MOORE, BANKER,

(SUCCESSOR TO HALL & ALLEN.)

GOLD RUN AND DUTCH FLAT.

Will attend to collections, procure Eastern and European exchanges, drawn by Wells, Fargo & Co., or others.

General or Special Deposits received, and transact a general banking business.

Having an assay office connected with the Dutch Flat branch, I am enabled to test every quality of Gold Dust and pay the highest relative price.

Also agent of Wells, Fargo & Co.'s express, Pioneer Stage Co., and Phœnix (of Hartford) Insurance Co.

20ap8-3m

Excelsior Gold and Silver Mining Company, Excelsior District, Nevada Co.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a meeting of the Trustees of the above named Company, held at the office of the company at Dutch Flat, on the 23rd day of April, 1866, an assessment of fifteen (15) cents per share, was levied upon the capital stock of said company, payable to the Secretary at his office in Dutch Flat, Placer county, California, in United States gold and silver coin. Any stock upon which said assessment shall remain unpaid, on the 26th day of May 1866, will be advertised as delinquent, and unless payment be made before, will be sold on the 26th day of June, 1866, to pay the delinquent assessments together with the costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

JOHN MEYER, Secretary.

Office, in Thomas' Building, Main street, Dutch Flat.

April 26th, 1866. 4t

CARPENTERS & UPHOLSTERERS.

SMITH & HILDRETH,

TWO DOORS BELOW THE THEATER, MAIN ST.,

RESPECTFULLY announce that they are prepared to execute all orders in their line at the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

NEW MATERIAL FOR BEDDING!

They also inform the public that they are now manufacturing, from California Soap Root, a very

SUPERIOR ARTICLE OF BEDDING,

Equal to the best Curled Hair, at half the cost. Those desirous of obtaining Bedding, Sofas, Lounges, etc., are invited to call.

Beds, and every description of Furniture repaired at short notice. ap7-tf

QUARTZ MILLS FOR SALE.

ONE FIFTEEN STAMP MILL AND ONE FIVE STAMP MILL.

Either of the above mills be sold cheap for cash, or will be put up on a good vein on reasonable terms, for part cash and an interest in the vein. Persons having good claims and in want of a mill of any capacity from five to twenty stamps, will find it to their interest to state particulars in writing, and direct to this office. ap7-tf

FAMILY GROCERY STORE,

Under Masonic Hall,

MAIN STREET, DUTCH FLAT, CALIFORNIA.

THANKFUL for the patronage heretofore bestowed upon him, the undersigned respectfully announces that he continues to keep on hand a full assortment of

FAMILY AND MINERS' GROCERIES,

CAN AND PRESERVED FRUITS,

OYSTERS, LOBSTERS AND SARDINES,

Fresh Butter, Eggs and Vegetables,

POWDER, FUSE AND NAILS,

CROCKERY, EARTHEN AND TINWARE,

With every other article for family use, which he is prepared to sell at prices that cannot fail to satisfy. Every accommodation afforded to customers.

ja1-tf GERGE S. MAKER.

BOOKS, STATIONERY, CIGARS,

—AT THE—

POST OFFICE NEWS DEPOT.

THE Subscriber having purchased the interest of his former partner, Mr. Groes, has just returned from San Francisco where he purchased a full assortment of the

BEST HAVANA CIGARS,

FINEST CHEWING TOBACCO,

GENUINE MEERSCHAUM PIPES,

SCHOOL AND MISCELLANEOUS BOOKS,

BLANK BOOKS AND STATIONERY,

Of every description and price. A very excellent assortment of

FINE CUTLERY, GUNS, PISTOLS, AND GOLD PENS,

Together with a fine supply of

Toilette Articles, Perfumes, Etc.,

All of which he is prepared to sell at prices that defy competition—for cash. Give me a call in your wanderings

ma6-tf JOHN H. BOKE.

ADAMS' Blood Purifier cures Scrofula or King's Evil, Tumors, Ulcers, Sores, Eruptions, Pimples, Blotches, Boils, St. Anthony's Fire, Rose or Erysipelas, Tetter or Salt Rheum, Scald Head, Ringworm, Cancer or Cancerous Tumors, Sore Eyes, Female Diseases, Liver Complaints, Dyspepsia, Costiveness, Dropsy, Sick Headache, Rheumatism in all its forms, Sore Mouth, etc., and in fact all diseases brought on by impure blood. ap14—3m.

WM. H. HILLHOUSE,

TIN, SHEET-IRON AND COPPERWARE MAKER,

Below the Theater, Main street.

IRON HYDRAULIC PIPE,

KEEPS constantly on hand a good assortment of

ANVILS, AUGERS, SPIKES, AXES, HARDWARE, TINWARE, STOVES, PUMPS, ROPE, LEAD PIPE, IRON AND STEEL, BORAX, HORSE-SHOE NAILS, SADIRONS, BENCH-VICES, TINWARE, SAWS, CARPENTER'S TOOLS, Etc.

Together with many other articles too numerous to mention, which he is prepared to sell at very low prices

Iron Hydraulic Pipe

Made to order, and repaired at the shortest notice, and on the most reasonable terms.

All work in my line done with neatness and dispatch. apr18-tf

SAN FRANCISCO STORE.

THE subscribers most respectfully inform the citizens of Dutch Flat and vicinity that they have opened their store, two doors above Burckhalter's store, and herewith solicit a share of patronage.

Our Store will always be found well stocked with the choicest brands of

CIGARS AND TOBACCOS,

FINE FRENCH BRANDIES,

WINES AND DOMESTIC LIQUORS,

CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE;

CASE LIQUORS, EVERY KIND;

KEROSENE OIL AND LAMPS;

A good assortment of

Wall Paper, Window Shades, &c.,

Besides a large assortment of all kinds of

FANCY GOODS, CUTLERY, STATIONERY, &c.

We shall endeavor to conduct our business so as to please and satisfy our patrons in every manner, and while our business shall be guided by the motto of

"Quick sales and Small Profits,"

we expect to share the patronage of the public.

Please give us a call.

jan21-tf A. FRANKLIN & CO.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of an execution issued out of the District Court, 4th Judicial District of the State of California, in and for the County of Placer, on a judgement rendered in said court in favor of James Teaff, and against P. B. Holmes in the sum of eight hundred and sixty-nine ($869 00) 00 dollars, and interest at ten per cent. per annum. I have levied upon and will sell at public sale to the highest bidder for cash in gold coin of the United States, in front of the Justice's office in the town of Dutch Flat, Placer county, on

Monday, the 14th day of May, 1866,

at the hour of ten o'clock, A. M., all the right, title, interest and claim which the said Defendant had on the 6th day of April, 1866, or has since acquired in and to the following property to wit: A certain blacksmith shop and lot on the north side of Main street, in the town of Dutch Flat, Placer county, State of California, known as Teaff & Holmes' shop, and bounded westerly by the Uncle Sam saloon, easterly by James Teaff's house and lot, and northerly by the Franklin Mining Co.'s claims. All of which named and described property I shall sell as aforesaid, or so much thereof as may be sufficient to satisfy the above judgment, together with costs due, and to become due thereon

A. W. POOLE, Sheriff of Placer Co.

By J. F. GREELEY, Deputy Sheriff.

Dutch Flat, April 19th, 1866, 6t.

MONTANO! IDAHO! WASHOE!

WE are putting up our Original Superior Brand of

GROUND JAVA COFFEE,

—ALSO—

Chartres Coffee, in double Glazed Papers,

To preserve its strength and flavor for the length of time required to be forwarded to the above places.

For sale by all the Jobbers and

MARDEN & FOLGER,

ap21-3dp1m Pioneer Steam Coffee and Spice Mills, 220 Front street, San Francisco.

CANDIES! CANDIES!!

Interesting for Country Dealers.

DO YOU KNOW THAT

SCHRODER & FISHER,

113 K st., Theater Building, Sacramento,

MANUFACTURE THE BEST AND LARGEST Variety of CANDIES made on the Pacific Coast?

DO YOU KNOW

That they sell the same at Wholesale as CHEAP as it can be purchased at San Francisco, thus saving freight and insurance?

IF YOU DO NOT KNOW IT

We now assure you that such is a fact. Call when you are down here at our Candy Manufactory and Fancy Cake Bakery, and be convinced to buy of us is money saved. Examine our assortment before purchasing elsewhere, and KNOW that it is superior to any other.

Buy of us, Save Money, and be Happy!

ap14-tf SCHRODER & FISHER.

DUTCH FLAT SAW MILL.

THE above Saw Mill being the oldest established mill now in operation in the vicinity of Dutch Flat, having been lately repaired, is now capable of cutting lumber equal to the most celebrated mills in Placer county. We have on hand a general assortment of seasoned and green lumber, hard and soft lumber, and having

Reduced the Prices

to correspond with the times, will sell as LOW if not a LITTLE lower than any other Saw Mill in this vicinity.

We are now receiving in the yard a large and superior lot of saw logs, and can fill orders for lumber with dispatch of all usual dimensions, varying in length from 10 to 30 feet.

Being situated within a few hundred yards of Dutch Flat, and convenient to most of the valuable mining claims, offer superior inducements to

Builders and Miners,

Who will find it to their interest to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.

Lumber delivered to any point within ten miles.

ALLEN TOWLE.

Dutch Flat, June 24th, 1860-tf

WM. H. KEELER,

WATCHMAKER AND JEWELER,

MAIN STR., NEXT DOOR TO THE WATER OFFICE,

HAS JUST ARRIVED FROM SAN FRANCISCO with a superb assortment of Watches and Jewelry which he offers at San Francisco prices and charges

Watches and Chronometers

Repaired and regulated at the shortest notice and in a scientific manner. Orders received for the manufacture of

Gold and Silverwire,

And all other articles in his line furnished at prices to suit the times. dec31-tf

DUTCH FLAT BAKERY.

SOUTH SIDE OF MAIN STREET.

HENRY RUNCKLE.....PROPRIETOR.

THE Proprietor of this old Established Bakery tenders his thanks to the citizens of Dutch Flat and neighborhood for the very liberal and generous patronage heretofore bestowed and assures them that he will endeavor to keep up the reputation of his establishment.

Fresh Bread, Cakes and Pies

always on hand. It is also prepared to furnish to families and miners every Saturday with

Fresh Brown Bread.

Persons wishing it fresh will please leave their orders. Jan10-y1-tf

C. A. RICHARDSON,

—Dealer in—

Cigars, Tobacco, Fresh Fruits, Confectionery, and assorted Nick Nacks,

MAIN STREET, GOLD RUN, PLACER COUNTY.

In connection with the above business, the proprietor has opened a

BARBER SHOP

Where persons can avail themselves of the luxuries of a good shave at their convenience oc28-tf

J. HUGHES,

BOOT AND SHOEMAKER,

OPPOSITE GOLDEN EAGLE SALOON, MAIN ST.

RESPECTFULLY INFORMS THE CITIZENS of this place and vicinity that he has opened a shop two doors above Burckhalter's for the

Manufacture of Boots and Shoes,

Where he is prepared to execute every description of work in his line at the shortest notice and in the best manner.

Particular attention paid to Repairing. ap15tf

DISSOLUTION.—The copartnership heretofore existing between G. E. Mason and Harrison White, under the name and style of Mason & White, at Gold Run, Placer county, Cal., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Persons indebted to the late firm of Mason & White are requested to settle the same with G. E. Mason, or David White.

G. E. MASON,
HARRISON WHITE.

April 12, 1866.

NOTICE.—David White having purchased the interest of Harrison White in the late firm of Mason & White, the business will hereafter be conducted under the name and style of Mason & White.

G. E. MASON,
DAVID WHITE.

April 14, 1866. 1m

PURIFY the Blood! Purify the Blood! A few bottles of Adams' Blood Purifier will remove all impurities from the blood, thereby insuring health and longevity. For sale by all Druggists ap14—3m.

DUTCH FLAT ENQUIRER.

UNION COUNTY CENTRAL COMMITTEE

D. L. ALLEN.....Township No. 1
G. D. ALDRICH.....Township No. 2
WM. SEXTON.....Township No. 3
E. B. BOUST.....Township No. 4
A. G. READ.....Township No. 5
B. D. BURT.....Township No. 6
M. H. POWER.....Township No. 7
H. L. KILBURN.....Township No. 8
J. T. KINCAID.....Township No. 9
M. WALDRON.....Township No. 10
M. C. WINCHESTER.....County at Large,
JAMES E. HALE.....County at Large
N. W. BLANCHARD.....County at Large,

A WOMAN ON SEDUCTION.—"Topsy Turvy," in the *Sunday Mercury*, thus expresses her opinion of the law lately enacted in relation to seduction:

"I do not believe that people should hunt up cases of this kind in order to drag them up for punishment. But when a woman parades her shame before the public, give her such a share in the punishment as shall deter others from walking in her footsteps. Every woman that receives damages at the hands of the law for the loss of her virtue does more to lower the standard of morality than a dozen courtezans of the lowest order. The example of the former works its poisonous effects in circles from which the latter are entirely excluded and can never reach. The man that gives his voice towards setting a price on woman's honor, and by his vote heaps riches upon a shameless wanton, should consider what an inducement he is holding out to his own daughter or sister to enrich herself at what she may learn to think so small a sacrifice. My creed can be condensed into a very small space and still express the sentimants of all enlightened, high-minded and noble men and women: Punish whom, when and how you will, but do not pay women a premium to degrade themselves.

DEATH OF A PHILADELPHIA COTEMPORARY OF TOM MOORE.—On Thursday, April 15th, Col. Robert Carr, an old and well-known citizen of Philadelphia, died in his eighty-ninth year. He was a printer and publisher in the early part of the present century, and, among other works, printed some of Tom Moore's, while that celebrated Irish bard was in this country. Col. Carr, we think, learned his trade in Benjamin Franklin's old printing office, but of course after Franklin had retired. He had, however, a vivid recollection of Franklin. He was a soldier in the war of 1812, an early member of the Pennsylvania Historical Society, and also of the Typographical Union, and was highly esteemed by a large circle of friends.

THE COUNTY LINE.—Mr. Scott, President of the Board of Supervisors of Placer county, visited this city yesterday, says the *Transcript*, for the purpose of consulting with the Board of Supervisors of this county, in regard to the boundary line between the two counties. It was decided that the Boards of the two counties should visit the head waters of Bear river on Monday next, and establish the initial point. There is little difficulty in settling the matter, and it is important that it should be done before the county Assessors get to work in that section.

"OCCUPATION GONE."—We learn by a letter from Mr. C. W. Hackett, of Company G, that Company D, 7th Regiment California Volunteers, Captain Calderwood, which was raised in Dutch Flat, left Arizona more than a month ago for San Francisco for the purpose of being mustered out. Another instance of the sword being converted into a pruning-hook. Companies E and G are still at Fort Mason, but are expected to leave soon.

SIGNIFICANT.—Yesterday evening a gentleman brought to our office a Chinese purse, which he said he had found on the road a short distance above this place. It must have been quite an ornamental purse, but has unfortunately been disfigured by being severed from the belt by a sharp instrument of some kind, certainly not in the hands of the owner. This we think is significant of the presence of road-agents in this neighborhood.

PIC-NIC.—There will be a grand mass-meeting to-day of the Sabbath School children of this place. The intention is to proceed in a body to the sylvan retreats and shady groves in the rear of Mr. John Rablin's dwelling house, where all the exhilarating amusements appertaining to pic-nicing, will be entered into with the zest which is only known to youth. A glorious time may be expected!

FOURTH OF JULY.—As the day approaches which above all others is held sacred in the breast of every American, we are reminded that it is our duty to call the attention of our citizens to the fact, in order that they make early preparations for a becoming celebration of the anniversary of the glorious day upon which our fathers achieved the liberties which we still so dearly prize.

A WOOLEN FACTORY.—The Marysville *Appeal* says the woolen factory project, so much talked of, is about to be consummated, that the city is to be canvassed immediately, and it is expected that such a response will be made in taking stock as will insure the starting of a mill. Seventeen thousand dollars of the stock has already been taken.

GOOD CLEAN UP.—On Tuesday, May 8th, the Eureka Company, at Grass Valley, cleaned up 2,300 ounces of gold, worth about $36,800. This was after a run of two weeks. The mine was recently sold for $400,000. The mill will be stopped for a time, for the introduction of new and improved machinery.

TAKE a teaspoonful of Watts' Nervous Antidote before going to bed and you will sleep as sound as a nut, and will not experience any bad effect afterwards; on the contrary, if taken regularly upon going to bed, it will strengthen and invigorate the system in a wonderful manner. The preparation is entirely vegetable and will harm no one.

CONDITION OF THE COUNTY TREASURY.

The following are the several amounts of money in the various County Funds of Placer county on the 1st May, 1866:

Belonging to the State		$ 1,841 25
" " County		14,309 60
" " Hospital		3,005 53
" " Railroad Interest		29 98
" " County School		6,54 78
" " Districts		3,842 53
" " " Roads		517 83
" " County Clerk		49 25
" " Nevada county		17 46
" " County Estray		25 70
" " Indian		108 56
" " Estates Deceased Persons		172 55
" " Total		$33,068 22

J. W. DICKERSON, TREASURER
May 4, 1866 " " Placer county.

DRY GOODS AND CLOTHING.

OOMPETITION DEFIED!

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!!

ADLER & HUDEPOHL,
Stone Store, Main Street, Dutch Flat.

HAVING just returned from San Francisco where they purchased a large assortment of Ladies' and Gentlemen's

FURNISHING GOODS!

Would respectfully call the attention of the Ladies and Gentlemen of this place to their large assortment. They are determined not to be undersold, and will endeavor to keep

THE BEST GOODS

That can be obtained in the market, both FOREIGN and DOMESTIC. They have at present every description of

Fancy Dry Goods and Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods.

☞ Call and examine for yourselves. Our is: ENDEAVOR TO PLEASE.

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!!
CORNER OF MAIN AND STOCKTON STREETS.

L. WURSBURG & BROTHER

RESPECTFULLY ANNOUNCE TO THE PEOPLE of Dutch Flat and neighboring towns that they are now opening a splendid assortment of

FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS,

At the Corner of Main and Stockton streets, two doors above the Dutch Flat Hotel, where they invite ALL, especially the Ladies, to call and examine their really superior stock of

Ladies' Furnishing Goods,

Together with an excellent assortment of Gentlemen's and Youth's Goods, and

Hats, Caps, Boots and Shoes,

of every description of the latest style, which they offer to the public CHEAP. my18-tf

CLOTHING EMPORIUM,
SOUTH SIDE OF MAIN STEEET, DUTCH FLAT.

J. H. LAKAMP respectfully announces to the citizens of Dutch Flat and vicinity that he has recently returned from San Francisco where he purchased an excellent assortment of

Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods!

Of a most superior quality and make, which he is prepared to sell at low prices.

Silk, Marino, and Shaker Flannel Undershirts, Drawers and Hose,
Davis & Jones' Patent
White Shirts,
Handkerchiefs, Neckties,
Collars, Vests, Gloves and Scarfs.
Gentlemen's, Ladies', Misses & Children's

Boots, Shoes, Hats and Caps.

The assortment in this department is the largest and best to be found in town, consisting of the finest dress boots and shoes, with a large stock of

Miners' Gum and Leather Boots,

Of the best quality and make. Persons in want of articles in my line are invited to call and examine the stock. no4-tf

HOSTETTER'S
CELEBRATED
STOMACH BITTERS!
A PURE AND POWERFUL TONIC,
CORRECTIVE AND ALTERATIVE,
—OF—
Wonderful Efficacy in Diseases of the STOMACH, LIVER AND BOWELS.

Cures Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Headache, General Debility, Nervousness, Depression of Spirits, Constipation, Colic, Intermittent Fever, Cramps, Spasms, and all Complaints of either Sex, whether arising from Bodily Weakness, whether inherent in the system, or produced by special causes.

NOTHING THAT IS NOT WHOLESOME.

Genial and restorative in its nature, enters into the composition of HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS. This popular preparation contains no mineral of any kind, no deadly botanical element; no fierce excitant: but it is a combination of the extracts of balsamic herbs and plants, with the mildest and purest of all diffusive stimulants.

As a General Tonic, HOSTETTER'S BITTERS produce effects which must be experienced or witnessed before their can be appreciated. In case of Constitutional Weakness, Premature Decay and Debility and Decrepitude arising from old age, it exercises an electric influence. In the convalescent stages of all diseases it operates as a delightful invigorant. When the powers of nature are relaxed it operates to reinforce and re-establish them.

The weak Stomach is rapidly invigorated and the appetite restored by this agreeable Tonic, and hence it works wonders in cases of DYSPEPSIA, and in less confirmed forms of INDIGESTION. Acting as a gentle and painless apparient, as well as upon the Bowels, it also invariably relieves the Constipation characterized by irregular action of the digestive secretive organs.

Persons of feeble habits, liable to Nervous Attacks, Lowness of Spirits and Fits of Languor, find prompt and permanent relief from the Bitters. The testimony on this point is most conclusive and from both sexes.

The agony of BILIOUS COLIC is immediately assuaged by a single dose of the stimulant, and by occasionally resorting to it, the return of the complaint may be prevented.

Last, though not least, it is the ONLY SAFE STIMULANT, being manufactured from sound and innocuous materials, and entirely free from the acid elements present more or less in all the ordinary tonics and somachics of the day.

No family medicine has been so universally, and, it may be truly added, deservedly popular with the intelligent portion of the community, as HOSTETTER'S BITTERS.

Sold by all Druggists, Grocers and Storekeepers every where, and by

HOSTETTER, DEAN & SMITH,
Wholesale Agents, San Francisco.
[my15-6m1s]

NOTICE FOR WILLIAM QUINN.

ALL laboring men are cautioned against his man, as he paid me in Greenbacks instead of gold and thereby swindled me out of Eleven dollars in the transaction. MICHAEL GALLAGHER.
April 20th, 1866.

A. S. HALLIDIE & CO.

WIRE ROPE Manufacturers, No. 412 CLAY STREET, SAN FRANCISCO.

Mining Companies, and others using rope, are informed that Wire Rope is Stronger, More Durable and Very Much Cheaper than any other kind of Rope, and it is not affected by atmospheric changes. We manufacture of every length and size.

Round Wire Rope,

Of IRON and STEEL, for hoisting purposes, Ferry Ropes and Derrick Guys.

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For Small Gear, for DERRICK FALL ROPES, very Durable and Light, with Suitable Blocks.

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For Hoisting from mines. Small sizes for Pump Rods. GALVANIZED IRON WIRE ROPE, for Stays and Guys.

IRON AND COPPER WIRE CORD, for Hanging Window Sashes—Signal Cords, etc.

☞ And would refer to the many Companies who are using our Ropes, throughout California and the adjoining States. List of prices with strengths, &c., forwarded on application to the manufacturers. oc8-6m1s

NEW PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY
OVER GOLDEN EAGLE SALOON,
MAIN STREET, DUTCH FLAT.

J. C. SCRIPTURE, ARTIST, WOULD RESPECTFULLY inform the citizens of Dutch Flat and vicinity that he has opened a first class gallery at the above place where he is prepared to take

LIFE SIZE PHOTOGRAPHS!

CARTES DE VISITE, AMBROTYPES AND MELANOTYPES.

In the best style of the Art. Call soon as he remain but a short time. se17-t

HATS! HATS!! HATS!!!

If you want a
A FINE HAT, A GOOD HAT,
OR A
CHEAP HAT!
Go where they keep the largest and best assorted stock, which is at
MEUSDORFFER'S HAT AND CAP MANUFACTORY,
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SACRAMENTO. se30 tf

Adams' Blood Purifier does not contain one particle of mineral, mercurial or other poisonous substance. It is perfectly harmless, and may be administered to persons in the very weakest stages of sickness, or to the most helpless infants, without doing the least injury. [ap14] For sale by D. W. STRONG.

WATT'S Nervous Antidote cures all diseases having their origin in derangement of the Nervous system. The preparation is perfectly harmless, and can be given to a child with perfect safety. For sale by SAMUEL ADAMS.
ap14-3m Cor. Bush and Powell sts., San Francisco.

DRUGS AND MEDICINES.

JUST RECEIVED!

DR. D. W. STRONG,
Druggist and Pharmaceutist,
MAIN STREET, DITCH FLAT,

HAS Just Received at the Dutch Fla Drug Store, a large and well-selected stock of FRESH DRUGS,

CHEMICALS,
ESSENTIAL OILS,
ECLECTIC AND PATENT MEDICINES,
TRUSSES,
SUSPENSARIES,
HAIR OILS,
PERFUMERY,
COMBS,
BRUSHES,
STATIONERY,
FINE CIGARS,
TOBACCO, &c
Also:
WHITE LEAD,
PAINT OILS,
GLASS, PUTTY,
VARNISHES and
TURPENTINE.

Besides a large assortment of COAL OIL, Lamps, and Kerosene Lamp Chimneys.

All of which will be disposed of

Cheap for Cash.

Cheaper than any other establishment in the county. All the goods are of the best quality, and have been selected with the greatest care, and purchasers can therefore rely upon obtaining a good article at a less price than a poor article would be sold for elsewhere. CALL AND SEE.

Family Groceries.

Of the choicest quality, such as cannot be found at any other place in town, for sale cheap.

In connection with the above, I intend keeping on hand at all times a good assortment of

Fine Watches and Jewelry.

Which will be sold at lower prices than can be bought elsewhere in the State. au6tf

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R. H. McDONALD & CO.,
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We most respectfully invite the attention of

DRUGGISTS, DENTISTS, PHYSICIANS, SURGEONS, MERCHANTS, MILLMEN, ASSAYERS, BREWERS, SODA WATER MANUFACTURERS and others,

To our well-assorted stock of articles in their line of business:

Drugs and Medecines,	Herbs and Fluid Extracts,
Paints and Oils,	Corks, every variety,
Dental Goods,	Acids,
Surgical Instruments,	Marble Dust,
Elastic Stockings,	Plaster,
Trusses and Supporters,	Blue Stone,
Druggists' Glassware,	Sal. Ammoniac,
Irish Moss,	Copperas,
Leeches,	Retorts and Crucibles,

Together with a complete assortment in the Drug line.

Our Senior Partner is now residing at the East, giving his personal attention to the purchasing and shipping of supplies. We are thereby enabled to furnish goods of the **First Quality at Very Low Prices.** We will not be undersold by any house in California.

We would respectfully solicit those dealing in our line to examine and price our stock before purchasing elsewhere.

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Importers of
DENTAL AND SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS,
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In Short Everything Used by the Dental Profession.
Our Stock was never better than at present.
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We have constantly on hand all the
Standard Works on Dentistry.
Are Agents for the "DENTAL COSMOS," published in Philadelphia, which is the best monthly work on Dentistry published.
The Dental profession can rely upon having their orders filled in the best possible manner and with dispatch. R. H. McDONALD & CO.,
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EMPIRE LIVERY STABLE,
Main Street, Dutch Flat.

H. K. WEST.....PROPRIETOR

THE subscriber having es- tablished a Livery Stable at this place would respectfully announce to the public that he is prepared to furnish the best

Horses, Buggies and Carriages

To be had in the mountains. Their horses and carriages have been selected and purchased expressly for mountain travel, and the proprietors pledge themselves to use every exertion to render entire satisfaction. The notice of

Families and Parties

is called to the fact that this establishment is prepared to supply them with every accommodation—gentle horses and experienced and careful drivers.

☞ Particular attention paid to transient stock, and horses boarded and groomed by the month, week, or day, at reasonable prices. oc8-tf

PACIFIC LIVERY STABLE,
HEAD OF MAIN STREET, COLFAX.

JAMES F. FISHER.....PROPRIETOR

THE PROPRIETOR respectfully informs the public generally that he is prepared to accommodate all who may give him a call with fine

SADDLE HORSES,
BUGGIES AND CARRIAGES,

For all places in the neighborhood, with or without drivers. Conveyances furnished for families or private parties at the shortest notice.

The proprietor would inform those favorable to easy and speedy travel that every facility will be afforded those patronizing this establishment. mr10-3M

"ESSEX,"
Corner of Main and Virginia streets,
GOLD RUN, CALIFORNIA.

O. W. HOLLENBECK.....PROPRIETOR

THIS new and spacious Billiard Saloon, which has just been fitted up in first rate style, is now opened to the public, and will be constantly stocked with the best

WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS,

that can be purchased on the Pacific coast.

A polite and attentive bar-keeper always in attendance to wait upon visitors. je-24tf

Lebanon Mining Company, Prospect Hill, Placer County.

NOTICE:—A special meeting of the stockholders of the above named company will take place at their office on Prospect Hill, Placer county, California, on Saturday, the 21st day of April, 1866, for the amendment of the By-Laws of the Company, and the transaction of other important business.

Proxies properly stamped, must be filed with the Secretary. H. D. KELLER, Sec'y.
March 26, 1866. td

SPECIAL NOTICES.

LIBANUS CHAPTER, No. 17, R. A. M., meets at their hall in Iowa Hill every Thursday on or preceding the full moon of each month. Companions in good standing are fraternally invited to visit.

J. H. NEFF, H. P.
W. D. LAWRENCE, Sec'y. [ja7]

MEDICAL ADVICE.—DR. WM. K. DOHERTY'S Medical and Surgical Institute is becoming a sine quo non to the welfare of our State and health of our citizens; and his rapidly spreading reputation, although it may excite surprise, is but the signal of skill, and follows as the natural result of such a cause. We are personally acquainted with gentlemen who had suffered for years under chronic disease, and who had taken advantage of every available means that promised relief, but without success, until they called upon Dr. Doherty, who, in an incredibly short space of time, has given them entire relief. It is gratifying to announce this fact, because the Dr. is a gentleman who seeks, not by defamation of others, to establish his reputation or ruin of another's fame. The Doctor conducts his own Institute in such a manner must be gratifying to all his patients. He examines, advises, and recommends without charge, and the patient, after hearing his terms for treatment, can accept or reject at pleasure. In no case does the Doctor make a charge unless he effects a cure. This he is able to do, because he feels the confidence which long experience has given, and no doubt the consolation which appertain to that confidence. Persons afflicted with either acute or chronic disease, would do well to consult the Doctor; at all events, it can do no harm, as for consultation he asks no fee; nor does he insist on obedience to his advice unless the patient places himself under his care. His offices are on Sacramento street, opposite the Pacific Mail Steamship office.—News

AT LEAST two-thirds of the Diseases with which the human family are afflicted, are brought on by the want of attention to the condition of the Blood. Whenever the blood becomes impure, no matter from what cause, the effects of such impurity are immediately felt, either in one way or another; and unless measures are at once taken to remove such impurities, the whole system becomes affected, and a long fit of sickness and sometimes death is the result. Dr. Samuel Adams, a well-known Chemist of San Francisco, has discovered certain herbs and roots, mostly of California growth, which he has combined with Sarsaparilla and Jodide of Potas, and succeeded in producing a Medicine that, while it is entirely harmless in every particular, will in short time completely eradicate from the Blood all impurities of whatever nature, and will restore the patient to perfect ROBUST HEALTH. The preparation is called "ADAMS' BLOOD PURIFIER," and is for sale at wholesale at the United States Drug Store, corner of Bush and Powell streets, San Francisco, and by Dr. D. W. Strong, Dutch Flat. 40

CALIFORNIANS should test the merits of DR. HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS. While it is highly palatable as a beverage, it is unequalled as a tonic and invigorator. In the pursuit of fortune at the mines, many persons are exposed to the attacks of complaints of the digestive organs, and various kinds of fever. It is the very article that has so long been in demand in the mines. Its daily use will the tone of a deranged stomach, impart fresh vitality to the digestive functions, and cheer the spirits. Yet the Bitters is the safest of all stimulants. Let the miner who is exposed to hot and dry, wet and cold, be certain to obtain a supply of the genuine Hostetter Bitter, and he will find it a certain safeguard to health. Dec2-3m

HOPE FOR THE AFFLICTED.—In another part of this paper will be found the advertisement of the celebrated Institute established by Dr. YOUNG, in 1850. In this age of deceit and charlatanism, it is a boon to the suffering to point out to them where they are sure of obtaining the wished for relief and cure. Under the care of the skillful Doctor the sick and troubled can divest themselves of their burdens of pain; lay aside their cross, and secure health and happiness. If you are sick or in trouble, do not hesitate. Read the advertisement and follow the advice. Do not forget the number or the manner of directing your letters. Consultation Office, 540, Washington street, San Francisco. Dec3m

DR. J. F. GIBBON.—This celebrated physician has returned to San Francisco, after an absence of a year, during which time he has visited the prominent hospitals in the United States, England and France; and having carefully studied the different mode of treatment in all those establishments, he comes back with full knowledge as to a proper adaptation of them in the effecting of cures here. He has returned and resumed the practice of his profession at No. 517 Kearney street, where his old patients may find him, and those who are suffering from ills which his practice will allow him to cure. His card will be found in another column.

THE GREAT BLOOD MEDICINES.—Let every man, woman and child in our country learn, that LeDuyon's Family Medicines are the best in use. See advertisement on the fourth page.

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES!
CONTINUE RIGHT!
AT BURCKHALTER'S.

CROCKERY and EARTHENWARE,
TIN AND WOODWARE,
LAMPS, CHIMNEYS, WICKS AND BURNERS.
A large assortment of the latest improved patterns, at BURCKHALTER'S.

KEROSINE OIL,
Lard Oil,
Machine Oil,
Neats-foot Oil,
and Boiled Oils.
A large stock from fresh importations at BURCKHALTER'S.

CIGARS AND TOBACCO!
Continue to receive regular invoices of the best cigars from the East, and the most favorite brands of
Chewing and Smoking Tobacco
to which
the attention of dealers as well as consumers is invited.
BURCKHALTER, appreciating friends, now offers
The Largest Assortment of FAMILY AND HOTEL SUPPLIES
OUTSIDE OF SACRAMENTO,
At Prices that Defy Competition!
His Stock consists of
Family,
Miners,
and Hotel,
GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS,
together with a large assortment of
HADWARE,
CHAINS,
BOLTS,
DRILLS,
PICK,
AND STEEL,
For Mills and Miners.

LIQUORS, LIQUORS!

The assortment of fine
Old Brandies,
Wines,
Whiskey,
Syrups, &c.,
is acknowledged the best in the County. Saloons and first buyers would do well to call and examine my stock before sending down below or buying elsewhere, as my facilities enable me to offer articles in this line at
Unprecedented Low Figures
AT BURCKHALTER'S.

NEW ARRANGEMENT.

THEODORE SCHUBERT,
BOOT AND SHOE MANUFACTURER,
MAIN STREET, OPPOSITE THE BREWERY.

HAVING MADE ARRANGEMENTS BY which he is enabled to manufacture
BOOTS AND SHOES
Almost as cheap as they can be purchased in the stores, desires to inform the citizens of Dutch Flat and surrounding places that he manufactures

Gentlemen's Fine Dress Boots,

Of the best quality, and from $8 00 to $10 00, and all work warranted. I have received a lot of the New Patent Lasts, and Gentlemen troubled with corns can have Boots made in such a manner as will secure them ease and comfort.

REPAIRING DONE in the best manner, as usual. All requiring anything in my line are invited to call. my27

ADAMS' Blood Purifier will effect a permanent cure in the most dangerous and confirmed cases of Scrofula, or King's Evil, Sores, Boils, Tumors, Abscesses, Ulcers, and every kind of scrofulous and serious eruptions. For sale by all Druggists, and by
ap14-3m D. W. STRONG.

HOTELS AND SALOONS.

NATIONAL HOTEL,
Main Street, Dutch Flat, California.

J. M. GAROUTTE.....PROPRIETOR

THE subscriber having leased the above establishment, respectfully announces to the public that he intends to keep the house in a manner which will warrant the satisfaction of those who may favor him with a call. Knowing the wants of the public he will keep the people supplied with the best viands. His accommodations are such that cannot fail to meet the demand of those who know the comforts of

Clean Beds and Well Aired Rooms.

Attending strictly to the management of the house personally, he will endeavor to render ALL favoring him with their patronage, comfortable.

The house has been thoroughly renovated, being plastered throughout, and the rooms large and airy, will make it one of the most desirable houses to stop at in the mountains. my15-tf

HACKETT'S HOTEL,
Main Street, Gold Run, Placer County.

HENRY HACKETT.....PROPRIETOR

HAVING almost completed his fine and commodious building which is in progress of being furnished entire with new and convenient furniture, the proprietor of the above named house is enabled to offer

BETTER ACCOMMODATIONS

to the traveling public than can be obtained elsewhere in the town, and from his long experience in catering to the wants of the public he flatters himself that he can render entire satisfaction to all who may favor him with a call.

THE CULINARY DEPARTMENT

Being under the supervision of an experienced and accomplished cook patrons can rely upon having at all times the best the market affords.

THE BAR

Will be always stocked with the best Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

THE ROOMS are large and airy and the beds and bedding clean and comfortable, making the establishment, when completed one of the best in the mountains.

In connection with the house the proprietor has fitted an excellent

Hay, Grain and Feed Stable,

for the use of Teamsters and the traveling public generally. se 16 tf.

HERBERT'S EXCHANGE,
Three Miles above Dutch Flat.

JOHN L. HERBERT.....PROPRIETOR

THE Proprietor respectfully in- forms the traveling public that he is prepared to accommodate all who favor him with a call, and being determined to exert himself to the utmost to give his guests every satisfaction. Ample accommodations for Teamsters as well as the public generally. ap28tf

CRYSTAL LAKE HOUSE,
Nineteen Miles above Dutch Flat.

HENRY POLLEY.....PROPRIETOR

THE subscriber desires to inform the traveling public that he is now prepared to accommodate all who may give him a call.—Excellent facilities are provided for

TEAMSTERS AND TRAVELERS,

Having HAY and GRAIN, and a large COMMODIOUS LOT.

THE BAR is thought by connoisseurs to contain the Best Liquors and Iced Beverages constantly made.

The subscriber has just constructed a NEW TRAIL whereby persons going to and from the

New Mines at Excelsior District

From all points below can save a considerable distance of mountain travel.

Distance to the new mines from Dutch Flat by way of the Crystal Lake House, thirty miles. Jn15v6y

TOMPKINS HOUSE,
Gear Valley, Nevada County, Cal.

E. O. TOMPKINS.....PROPRIETOR

THE Proprietor respectfully an- nounces to the traveling public that he is now fully prepared to accommodate all guests in the best possible manner. Parties visiting this beautiful valley will receive every attention. The House is situated on the line of the Pacific Turnpike, between Dutch Flat and Bowman's Ranch, on the Henness Pass road.

MEADOW LAKE RESTAURANT,
Corner of Main and Sacramento Streets.

PHELEP HEUSNER.....PROPRIETOR

THE Proprietor of this old and well known stand intends keeping a first class restaurant, and purposes furnishing those patronizing him with every

DELICACY OF THE SEASON!

At prices as moderate as can be afforded this side any of the larger cities. He is prepared to accommodate a limited number of boarders without lodging, and furnish

MEALS AT ALL HOURS!

Every accommodation afforded usually found in a well regulated hotel.

Board, per week.....$7 00
Single Meals.....50
[Jan27-tf

GOLDEN EAGLE HALL,
S. E. Cor. Main and Stockton Streets.

MAYER & DOWNER.....PROPRIETORS

THE Proprietors having thoroughly re- modelled and renovated this favorite place of resort are now prepared to invite all to come and see them, assuring them that they offer nothing but the

Best Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

That can be purchased below. In connection with this first class Saloon there are two fine

Marble-bed Billiard Tables,

Upon which those partial to this noble game can pass an hour of pleasant recreation.

Drop in as you are passing and see for yourself. fe17-tf

UNCLE SAM SALOON,
(One door above Dr. Strong's Drug Store)
Main Street, Dutch Flat, California.

SAM SWANSON begs leave to inform the public that he has always the best
Wines, Liquors, Syrups and Cigars,
that can be purchased below, and invites those partial to leasant beverages to give him a call. fe11-tf

BED ROCK SALOON,
Opposite the Postoffice, Main street.

GEORGE L. SLOCUMB.....PROPRIETOR

KEEPS CONSTANTLY ON HAND THE FINEST
Wines, Brandies, Cigars and Syrups,
and playing cards in the market, in lots to suit customers
Billiard Balls, Cues, and Cue-Wafers,
purchased for customers at the lowest city prices. de-4

SENATE SALOON,
Opposite the Express Office.

HAVING assumed control of this first class popular saloon, the undersigned respectfully informs the public that he will keep all the best

Liquors, Wines and Cigars,

And give such attention to customers as to ensure their comfort and satisfaction. In connection with the saloon there is an excellent

Billiard Table

which is now in complete repair, upon which those partial to this popular and innocent amusement can while away a pleasant hour. C. M. KOPE.
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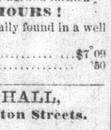
PLACER BUTCHER SHOP.
Corner of Sacramento and Main streets, Dutch Flat, Cal.

THE UNDERSIGNED, having purchased this Favorite Market, will keep always on hand the best



Beef, Pork, Mutton and Home-made Sausage,

Which will be supplied to customers at the lowest market rates. Every accommodation guaranteed to the public.
Apr8-tf CONRAD ROTH.

WATT'S NERVOUS ANTIDOTE.
The Greatest Medical Discovery of the Age

This Medicine is of a purely Vegetable preparation and has never been known to fail in effecting a cure in the following cases: Agne, Anxiety, Loss of Appetite, Asthma, Bronchitis, Cholera Morbus, Rheumatism, Convulsions, Colic, Dysentery, Delirium Tremens, Mental or Physical Debility, Dispepsia, Fits, Gout, Headache, Hysterics, Heart Disease, Palsy, Imbecility, Impotency, Suppressed Menses, Neuralgia, Pleurisy, Restlessness, St. Vitus Dance, Stricture, Tic Doleroux and Whooping Cough, &c.

Columns of certificates of cures might be published sufficient to satisfy the most sceptical, that this medicine is all that its discoverer claims for it. Persons with any of the above diseases, will do well to give it a trial before dosing themselves with mineral poisons, that while they sometimes afford temporary relief, always leave behind them the seeds of some other disease, oftentimes far worse than that which they are given to cure.

Watt's Nervous Antidote

Is a perfectly harmless preparation, and can be given to an infant without fear of injury. In fact there are many persons that give it to crying babies, as a soothing syrup with miraculous effect. The Antidote is for sale by all respectable druggists. ap14-8m

ADAMS' BLOOD PURIFIER IS A POSITIVE AND Specific remedy for all hereditary diseases transmitted from parent to child. For sale by
ap14-3m D. W. STRONG.

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The editorials are of the ablest character; the news department is presided over by the best talent of the country, and the miscellaneous matter is evidently selected by editors who are adepts in the business. In short, it is a tremendous newspaper, and what we admire quite as much, a very handsome one.—TRINITY JOURNAL.

Many of the leading articles in the AMERICAN FLAG when carefully perused, cannot fail to make the lover of his country tremble. They are unmistakably a plain chess-board of the future, and will serve as a beacon light on the political path of the nation. A large number of these articles are worthy of republication in book form. —LOS ANGELES NEWS.

THE FLAG is to be trusted as a true Union paper without deceit, which no motive of interest can turn from its course; and which cannot be swayed by favor or intimidated by threat. It is a first-class journal and ought to receive the hearty support of the true Union men of San Francisco and the interior. STOCKTON INDEPENDENT.

We have received the AMERICAN FLAG, published at San Francisco, California. It is printed on a double sheet larger than the New York Tribune, and is by far the ablest and best newspaper in the Golden State.—LITCHFIELD (CT.) ENQUIRER.

THE AMERICAN FLAG is the truest, ablest, and most fearless defender of the Union cause in this State. There is no other paper that can be compared with it in any respect. It is independent of cliques, cabals and factions.—NEVADA GAZETTE.

THE AMERICAN FLAG exceeds in variety and interest of its contents any paper west of the Rocky Mountains. It is justly entitled to the hearty friendship of all Union men. The Press generally have accorded it the honor due to their gifted cotemporary.—EMERELDA UNION.

Resolutions of Union Conventions,
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Resolutions of Union Conventions,

Resolved, That this Convention does most heartily indorse the AMERICAN FLAG, as a newspaper true, energetic and reliable for its advocacy of the great measures and principles of the Union party in this State; and that we do hereby commend it to the confidence and support of all loyal men. RESOLUTION OF UNION STATE CONVENTION.

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MR. NASBY PLEADS THE CAUSE OF A FRIEND.

CONFEDERATE X ROADS,
(wich is in the Stait of Kentucky,)
March 19, 1866.

Yesterday I happened to pick up a copy uv a fritefully depraved Ablishin paper, and my horor stricken eyes wuz glued to the follerin passage, which I read:

"I am happy to state to you that our free negroes are doing finely. We have no trouble with them. They have all gone to work manfully. They give an impetus to trade that we never before had. I have sold John Guttle's negroes this year and last more goods than I ever sold Guttle, and he owned two hundred and fifty slaves; so you see the free negro system is working well with us."

Ez I peroozed them lines tears started involuntarily from my beamin eyes, and coursed in torrents down my venerable cheeks. I know John Guttle well, I may say intimitly. He wus a dear friend, one uv the few which I call friend in the most catholic and comprehensive sense of the word. He holds my note for eighteen dollars and 63 cents, and I hev, somewhere among my papers, which I hev allus carefully preserved for reference, a memoranda uv his address, that I might be shoor not to forget to send it to him. I give him the note becoz he furnisht the paper, and it made him easy in his mind. I put down the memoranda becoz it looked business-like. Benevolence is a prominent trait in my character—when givin my note for borrered money will do a man good, I never begrudge the trouble uv writin it.

But what I wuz agoin to say wuz, that the feendishnis uv that item passes belief. The writer put it in print to show that the abolishn of slavery benefitted somebody. I grant him that the merchant, who undoubtedly wuz born in Massachusetts, wuz benefitted by the change, so are the greasy mechanics who are now pollutin the soil of Alabama, and so, probably are the 250 niggers, but in the name uv liberty, in the name uv justice, in the name of the Constitooshun of the Yoonited States, and the flag uv our common country, I ask how about John Guttle?

John Guttle is robbed—John Guttle is deprived uv his property; the bread is taken from John Guttle's mouth, his staff is broken, his dependence is gone, he is bereft.

Never shall I forget John Guttle or his hospital mansion ez I knowed it in the happy years afore the crooel war. He wuz a gentleman of the old skool—wun uv the few left us in these degenerate days. His home wuz wun uv unalloyed happiness. Situated just back of Mobeel, he hed the finest plantashun in that section, and hed on it two hundred and fifty niggers. All shades wuz represented. There was the coal black Cuffee, whose feechers denoted the pure Afrikin, and whose awkward manners showed that he wuz not long from Afrika. Then there was the civilized mulatto, in whose veins the Guttle blood showed; the quadroon, in whom the good old Guttle blood predominated; and the octuroon, which was mostly Guttle. The Guttleses waz eminently a Christian generation—they wuz devotedly pious, and there never wuz wun uv the name who cood not repeat without the book all uv the texts bearing on slavery. The passages in which Onesimus and Hagar figger wuz favorites with em, but on "cussid be Canaan" they wuz strong. For generations they had mournen over the fate uv the sons uv Ham, doomed to perpetooal bond ge, becoz uv the sin uv their father, and by a missionary spirit ekaled by few and excelled by none, they did their part toward reduosin that cuss by makin ez menny uv em as possible half-brothers to the more favored race of J. phet, and, thus bringing uv em out uv the cuss, and they hed mellered the color uv their charges, down from a hideous black to a brite yeller. Under the old patriarkle system that passed orf smoothly and pleasantly with the Guttle family, them 250 niggers wuz obliged uv course to work, and their labor wuz money. John bought each uv the male sons of Ham two soots uv close per annum, and each of the female sons of Ham one soot. It wuz considered healthy for the young ones to go naked, wich they wuz religiously allowed to do, ez none of the Guttles of that family never wood do anything agin natur or her laws. The girls hed pianos and wuz educated at the North; the boys was celebrated for horse racin and their skill for loosing money at faro. They was hospitable and generous to a fault. Their house was a open house, and their beverages was always the best. Money wuz no objick to them, for when they hed a severe attack uv poker, or faro, or hoss racin, they hed plenty of octoroons and quadroons, with the real Guttle nose, which brand wuz well known in Noo Orleans, and wood alluz command the highest possible figger that wuz paid in the market; or, ef they hed no more than they wanted at home uv that style, why a few field hands wood be sold, and the remainin ones would be persuaded by the overseer to do the work of the whole. John Guttle's sons wuz all in the Confedrit army; his daughters, willin to sacrifice everything for the cause, heroically pledged theirselves to whip the niggers theirselves dooring their absence.

Now all is changed. A shadder hez fallen across that peaceful home. The nigger quarters is there but the niggers is not. The broad plantashun is divided up into small farms, and half of it is owned by the Ablishnists from the North, who work themselves, and who hev a meetin house on one corner uv it, and the niggers a skool house on tother. The race track is plowed up and in cotton—the w ippin post stocks is taken down and burned—all, all the evidence of civilisation hez faded afore the hand of the invader. John Guttle, that generous old man subsists by the labor uv his own hands—one uv his sons ekes out a miserable existence runnin a dray in Mobeel; another who is gifted with no ordinary intelleck, earns a respectable livin playin seven-up in a small way with his former niggers, and the two girls are runnin a sewin macheen.

Talk not to me of benefits. What is a dozen tradesmen and two hundred and fifty niggers to gellorious old Dimocratic John Guttle? What is the interests uv a dozen or so uv Noo England mechanics, and niggers aforesaid, when compared with the glorious aristocracy which can never exist beside em? Kin I go and borrer eighteen dollars and sixty-three cents uv one uv em? No. Becoz workin for their paltry livins they place a higher valyoo on money, and will not spread it around ez profoosely ez the noble race which preceded em.

Another great wrong is done in this settin free of John Guttle's niggers. John Guttle hez, uv course, no further interest in the Dimocratic party. Slavery was the umbillikle chord which united the Southern slaveholder and the Northern Dimocrat, and that chord cut, why hez John Guttle any more in Democracy? We stood as a Chinese wall between them and the rushin flood of Abolishun fanaticism, and we made the wall bisnis pay. They furnished the money and we did the work, and there bein but few uv us the orfices wus easily divided. Alas, our okepashin's gone. The South is forever lost to us, for she has no dirty work for us to do.

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In behalf uv the Dimocrisy North, who are out uv employment, give him back his niggers.

In behalf of his son who is runnin a dray, give him back his niggers.

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L. S. In Witness whereof, I, DAVID W. SPEAR, Clerk of the Fourteenth Judicial District Court aforesaid, do hereunto set my hand and impress the seal of said Court, at office in Auburn, this 16th day of February, 1866. D. W. SPEAR, Clerk.

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By A. N. GAMBELL, Deputy
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I am, Doctor, very truly yours, L—— H——.
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A desire to benefit humanity, and a feeling of gratitude to Dr. W. K. Doherty, alone induces me to make this statement. For many years I have been afflicted with that fearful disease known as "Spermatorrhœa," or Seminal Weakness, the result of self-abuse, but in 1855 experienced but little trouble or inconvenience. In that year however, I had Seminal Weakness to an alarming extent, which was soon followed by the most alarming symptons as weakness of the back and limbs, pain in the head, dimness of vision, nervousness and general debility. My mind, too, was afflicted to such an extent as to seriously impair my memory; my ideas were confused and spirits depressed. I avoided society, had evil forebodings and self-distrust, and was entirely unfitted for any of the duties of life. From 1855 to the summer of 1863, I employed the very best medical talent I could find, and spent several hundred dollars, but in no instance obtained more than temporary relief. I had about concluded there was no relief for me in this world, but seeing Dr. Doherty's advertisement, I thought I would call and see him, as he charged nothing for consultation. I had an interview with Dr. Doherty at his office, in Sacramento street, and his fee for treatment was so reasonable I determined to try him, though I did not expect much benefit from the treatment. On the 5th of December last I placed myself under his care; in one week I found myself very much improved, and, now, after five weeks' treatment, I feel myself thoroughly cured of all my troubles and in the possession of health, hoping that my experience may be of benefit to others similarly afflicted, I subscribe myself,

JAMES JOHNSTON.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 15th day of January, A. D. 1864.
[L. S.] A. G. RANDALL, Notary Public.

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